

## VERSION OF AMENDMENT SHOWING MARKINGS

### In the Claims

1. (Currently Amended) ~~An enhanced~~ A torque resistant battery part comprising;  
a lead member;  
a stainless steel bolt having a male thread on one end;  
a layer of a lead adhereable material secured to at least a portion of the bolt with  
the layer of the lead adhereable material engaging the lead member to thereby ~~enhance~~  
provide the torque resistance ~~of to~~ to the stainless steel bolt with said layer of lead  
adhereable material comprising a sublayer of nickel placed on the stainless steel bolt and  
a sublayer of tin placed over the sublayer of nickel.
2. (Canceled)
3. (Original) The battery part of claim 1 wherein the thickness of the layer of lead  
adhereable material is less than .0003 inches.
4. (Original) The battery part of claim 1 wherein the battery part comprises a battery  
terminal with the stainless steel bolt in mechanical engagement with the battery terminal.
5. (Currently Amended) A battery part comprising:  
a lead member;  
a fastener at least partially embedded in the lead member; and  
a layer of an electrical conducting material interposed between the fastener and  
the lead member with the electrically conducting material bonded to the fastener and to

the lead member to provide ~~enhanced~~ torque resistance wherein said layer of the electrically conducting material includes at least two sublayers.

6. (Original) The battery part of claim 5 wherein the fastener is in mechanical engagement with the lead member.
7. (Canceled)
8. (Currently Amended) The battery part of claim ~~7~~ 5 wherein a one of the at least two sublayers is bonded to the fastener and another of the at least two sublayers is bonded to the lead member with the at least two sublayers bonded to each other to thereby provide ~~enhanced~~ torque resistance to the fastener.
9. (Currently Amended) The battery part of claim ~~7~~ 5 wherein one of the sublayers comprises a layer of tin.
10. (Currently Amended) The battery part of claim ~~7~~ 5 wherein one of the sublayers comprises layer of nickel
11. (Currently Amended) The ~~batter~~ battery part of claim ~~7~~ 5 wherein the fastener comprises stainless steel.
12. (Original) The battery part of claim 11 wherein the sublayer bonded to the stainless steel fastener comprises tin.
13. (Original) The battery part of claim 12 wherein the sublayer bonded to the lead member comprises nickel.

14. (Original) The battery part of claim 12 wherein the sublayers bonded to the stainless steel faster is an electroplated sublayer.
15. (Currently Amended) A method of forming a battery terminal comprising:  
placing a coating of a lead adhereable electrically conducting material on an exterior surface of at least a portion of a fastener wherein said coating of a lead adhereable electrically conducting material comprises placing a layer of nickel on the fastener and placing a layer of tin over the nickel; and  
embedding the fastener in a lead terminal by flowing molten lead around the fastener with the lead adhereable conducting material to secure the fastener to the lead and thereby enhance a torque resistance of the fastener.
16. (Original) The method of claim 15 wherein the step of placing a coating of the lead adhereable electrical conducting material on a fastener comprises placing the lead adhereable electrical conducting material on a stud bolt fastener.
17. (Original) The method of claim 15 wherein the step of placing a coating of the lead adhereable electrical conducting material on a fastener comprises placing the lead adhereable electrical conducting material on a nut fastener.
18. (Original) The method of claim 15 wherein the lead adhereable coating is placed on a stainless steel fastener.
19. (Canceled)

20. (Original) The method of claim 15 wherein the placing of the lead adhereable coating comprises electroplating the lead adhereable coating on the fastener.